

## Digital Survey Plans in Practice

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### ABSTRACT

*NSW is currently transitioning from paper to digital survey plans. In August 2020, a discussion paper was released seeking industry feedback on the transition and a potential future state scenario for digital survey plans. The future state included moving to an online plan creation to registration process, requiring surveyors to lodge digital data with their plans and the circumstances by which data could in the future be considered the legal point of truth. That feedback has subsequently been reviewed and incorporated into the implementation of new digital survey plan services, which are being released through NSW LRS Connect (<https://connect.nswlrs.com.au>), the new online portal of NSW Land Registry Services (LRS). This presentation provides an overview of stakeholder views and how concerns raised by stakeholders are being addressed in the transition from paper to digital survey plans. It also demonstrates how surveyors can more easily generate digital survey plans using the new services and the benefits that will be available to industry as a result.*

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